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DIGEST

Martiny (SB 17)

Proposed law, contained in Title 13 (Courts and Judicial Procedure) of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, legislates with regard to classifications of parishes, municipalities, or other political subdivisions or local areas according to population by enacting local bills to limit the application of laws based upon specific classifications to one or more parishes, municipalities, or other political subdivisions or local areas, by adjusting the population ranges affected by the 2010 census, and by repealing certain provisions based upon certain population classification ranges, as follows:

CITATION/ TOPIC	EXISTING LAW	AFFECTED LOCATIONS	PROPOSED LAW
R.S. 13:847(F)(1)(intro. para.) - Fees in criminal cases	A district court in a parish with a population of 42,800 - 43,500	St. John the Baptist Parish (2000 census)	St. John the Baptist Parish

R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(e) - Court reporters generally	Tri-parish district courts with a population between 40,000 - 100,000	<p>2nd Judicial District containing parishes of Bienville, Claiborne, and Jackson (1990, 2000 census)</p> <p>5th Judicial District containing parishes of Franklin, Richland, and West Carroll (1990, 2000 census)</p> <p>18th Judicial District containing parishes of Iberville, Pointe Coupee, and West Baton Rouge (1990, 2000 census)</p>	Second, Fifth, and Eighteenth Judicial Districts
R.S. 13:961(F)(1)(f) - Court reporters generally	Tri-parish district courts with a population of 75,000 - 150,000	Parishes of Ascension, Assumption, and St. James (1990, 2000 census)	Twenty-Third Judicial District
R.S. 13:964.2 - Reporter's fees	A parish having a population of 180,000 - 187,000	Calcasieu Parish (2000 census)	Calcasieu Parish
R.S. 13:996.22.1 -Judicial expense fund in a specified court	A judicial district court whose boundaries are coterminous with any parish having a population of 39,000 - 40,500	Natchitoches Parish (2000 census)	Tenth Judicial District

R.S. 13:996.35 - Sheriff's fees in specified parishes	<p>Parishes having a population between (a) 67,500 - 69,000</p> <p>(b) Parishes having a population between 75,000 - 84,000</p>	<p>(a) Iberia Parish (1990 census)</p> <p>(b) St. Landry Parish (1990 census), Ascension Parish (all 2000 census)</p>	Parishes of Iberia and St. Landry
R.S. 13:996.36.1 - Additional fees or costs	A judicial district court which is located in a judicial district comprised of three parishes having a population of 55,400 - 85,400	Parishes of Iberville, Pointe Coupee, and West Baton Rouge (all 1990 and 2000 census)	Eighteenth Judicial District Court
R.S. 13:1000.1(A) - Additional costs in criminal matters for CASA programs	Parishes having a population of 125,000 - 135,000	Rapides Parish (1990, 2000 census)	Rapides Parish
R.S. 13:1384 - Required positions in a criminal district court	A parish having a population of 465,000+	Orleans Parish (2000 census)	Orleans Parish
R.S. 13:1568.3 - Special divisions of court	A parish having a population of 465,000+	Orleans Parish (2000 census)	Orleans Parish
R.S. 13:1908(A) - Additional costs in criminal matters for CASA programs	A parish having a population of 125,000 - 135,000	Rapides Parish (1990, 2000 census)	Rapides Parish
R.S. 13:2080.1(B) - Additional fees for an appearance bond	A city court located in a municipality having a population of 19,000 - 25,000	Cities of Opelousas, Ruston, and Sulphur (all 1990, 2000 census), City of Slidell (1990 census)	City Courts of Opelousas, Ruston, Slidell, and Sulphur

R.S. 2080.1(C) - Accumulation of surplus filing fees and costs in civil fee accounts	A city court in a city having a population of 7,000 - 7,200	City of Plaquemine (1990, 2000 census)	City Court of Plaquemine
R.S. 13:2103.2(A) - Additional fee for appearance bond	A city court in a city with a population of 20,000 - 21,000	Cities of Ruston and Sulphur (1990, 2000 census)	Cities of Ruston and Sulphur
R.S. 13:2496.2(A) - Expenses of municipal courts	A municipal court in a parish with a population of 470,000+	City of New Orleans (2000 census)	Municipal Court of New Orleans
R.S. 13:2575(C)(2) - Public health, housing, and environmental violations	A municipality with a population of 450,000+	City of New Orleans (2000 census)	Municipality with population of 300,000+
R.S. 13:2576(A)(intro. para.) -Administrative adjudication of public health, housing, fire code, environmental, and historic district violations	A municipality with a population of 450,000+	City of New Orleans (2000 census)	Municipality with population of 300,000+
R.S. 13:2583.1(A) - Deputies, oath, and compensation of a constable of a justice of the peace court	A justice of the peace court in a parish having a population of 400,000+	Jefferson Parish (1990, 2000 census), East Baton Rouge Parish (2000 census)	East Baton Rouge and Jefferson Parish
R.S. 13:2590.1(A)(1) - Appointment of clerk of court	According to the 1990 census, a justice of the peace court in a parish with a population of 400,000+	Jefferson Parish	Jefferson Parish
R.S. 13:2590.1(B)(into. para.) and (E) - Additional costs for filings and bonds in justice of the peace courts	A justice of the peace court in a parish with a population of 400,000+	Jefferson Parish (1990, 2000 census), East Baton Rouge Parish (2000 census)	East Baton Rouge and Jefferson Parish
R.S. 13:4818 -Concursus proceedings	A city with a population of 400,000+	City of New Orleans	City of New Orleans

(Amends R.S. 13:847(F)(1)(intro. para.), 961(F)(1)(e) and (f), 964.2, 996.22.1, 996.35, 996.36.1, 1000.1(A), 1384, 1568.3, 1908(A), 2080.1(B) and (C), 2103.2(A), 2496.2(A), 2575(C)(2), 2576(A)(intro. para.), 2583.1(A), 2590.1(A)(1), (B)(intro. para.), and (E), and 4818)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B to the original bill.

1. Adds East Baton Rouge Parish to provisions regarding appointment of deputy constables for justice of the peace courts. (R.S. 13:2583.1(A))

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill.

1. Adds East Baton Rouge Parish to provisions regarding additional costs for filings and bonds for justice of the peace courts. (R.S. 13:2590.1(B)(intro. para.) and (E))